

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

ABBIE HOFFMAN (SUMMARY)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, Washington, D.C.

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Dear Sirs,

Maving received the enclosed advertisement in the mail, I am sending it to you in the hope it can be referred to someone in a position to stop this kind of books from reaching the people of our country.

As a minister of the Gospel I am grieved when literature is offered to "give people a license to steal". I have not ordered the book, but I can easily understand from the advertisement what type of trash it offers.

I have lived most of my life in Canada and there we have the "METTER BYSINESS BYREATT which helps to keep these things in line. I feel sure there must be a similar organized group in the W.S.A.

Thank you for your attention in this matter. Sincerely yours, REC-4 JUN 25 1973

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This book was turned down as "too hot to handle" by over thirty publishers!
Why? Because it shows you how to "take" the big corporations that have been "taking" you for years!

Yes, Dear Friend -

The book I'm going to tell you about in this letter cannot be sold at all in Canada. Is absolutely barred by the Canadian government as too dangerous to be given to their citizens. (So if you're Canadian, throw away this letter. We can't ship this book to you at all.)

This book, however—so far—can still be sold in the United States

. . . if you can get your hands on a copy! Remember, it was turned down by over thirty publishers. Then, when it was printed, 95% of all book—stores wouldn't touch it with a tenfoot pole!

In fact, in some states, not a single copy has been let in! They have been seized as soon as they appeared anywhere in a store!

Why? Because this book tells you how to get almost everything you want FREE-simply by going out and taking it, the "smart" way!

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TOTOSURE

SHOULD "STEAL YOURSELF RICH"
TECHNIQUES LIKE THESE EVER
BE REVEALED TO THE PUBLIC?

For example:

How to manufacture your own credit card — and live "high on the hog" from that moment on, without paying a single penny!

How to have the phone company pay for your calls — all over the world!

How to fly first class anywhere you want — and have the airline humbly offer you a couple of hundred dollars when you get there!

How to collect welfare from more than one state at the same time — up to \$600 every month — no matter if you're working or not!

How to pack your closets with the newest clothes — so many of them that you'll throw them away after you wear each one of them once — and every one of them given to you as a gift!

And hundreds more! Practically a license to steal! And all outlined for you in perfect detail — step by easy step in perhaps the most explosive and condemned book ever published!

Read the full details below! Try it - at our risk!

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FREE!

If you know "insider's tricks" like these, you can eat like a king, in the best restaurants in town, for absolutely nothing, or at most a few pennies every week!

For example!

How to eat all you want FREE at bars, without even having to buy a beer.

How to eat for nothing in self-service cafeterias. And eat so much that your stomach may actually feel like it's going to burst!

How fixed-price restaurants can give you FREE meals for two or three days, after you've paid the regular price for your first meal.

How order-by-phone restaurants can provide you with a bulging

gourmet dinner for nothing. Not one red penny.

If you like fancy food, then invest \$5 (no more) in this ingenious way. Then you'll be able to eat at the most expensive restaurants in any city you wish, as their welcomed guest.

But this is only the beginning! Because if you don't want to eat out all the time, but want to dine sumptuously at home on other people's food, then just wait till you read this—

HOW TO MAKE SUPERMARKETS GIVE YOU THEIR FOOD FREE!

If you live in these states (mentioned on page 121 of this book) you can get up to \$100 worth of FREE purchases a month, through one simple ruse.

Or, in any state, this is what you can now do:

You can get FREE meat from the butcher, just by asking him the right way. FREE LP records. FREE gourmet sandwiches. FREE fish. FREE package goods. FREE steaks or chops. FREE vegetable products. In fact, so much FREE FOOD that you may have to buy a freezer to store it!

Now, there are some foods that you can't get completely free most of the time. So you use maneuvers like these:

You pay the price of the smallest size, but you get the large economy size for it.

You buy butter for the price of margarine.

You buy steaks for the price of potatoes (when you can't get them free).

You pay half the price for canned goods.

You decide the price you're willing to pay for weighted produce. And you pay that much and not one cent more.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

You can realize, of course, how the explosive nature of this material prohibits us from using the name of this nationally famous author here. However, we can say this:

"He has written articles in numerous magazines. He has been on T.V. many times including the David Frost and David Susskind shows. He has also apeared on the Merv Griffin and Johnny Carson shows. He is one of the most popular speakers on the college campuses and has been interviewed by Life, Look, Time; etc."

And then you go on, beyond food, like this:

HOW TO GET THE BEST CLOTHING AND FURNITURE YOU WANT—
FREE!

How to get an almost-new pair of shoes, for exactly 25¢.

Now you can wear \$300 suits (or \$200 dresses), simply by asking the right people for them, in the right way.

How laundries and dry-cleaners can be made to give you a complete wardrobe-either for pennies, or absolutely free.

How to get brand w top styles, anywhere, fr less than half the regular retail prime (less than half the regular ales price).

How apartment houses and hotels practically "give-away" top furniture.

Why construction sites, anywhere in town, can be worth a small fortune to you.

How clothing manufacturers will actually donate their latest models to you, and love you for taking them away.

HOW TO GET SUPER-DELUXE TRANSPORTATION ALL OVER THE WORLD-FREE!

How to get FREE gas. FREE information from the AAA. FREE bus rides. FREE plane rides for short distances (or go around the world by plane for \$88). FREE in-flight movies. FREE car trips for up to 500 miles (or go to Los Angeles from New York, and see the country in luxury for less than \$8, with somebody else's brand new car).

How to get a FREE vacation in a foreign country—with all sorts of bonuses thrown in.

How to fly FREE (or for pennies) on the airline of your choice, and have them give you up to \$250 when you get where you're going.

How to make local calls in a telephone booth for 2¢ apiece.

How to get the operator, time after time, to give you a FREE call.

How to phone long-distance FREE.

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How to have your friends call you at home, FREE, from any pay phone they wish.

How to avoid paying for an unlisted phone.

How to make your own telephone credit-card, that you can use all over the world.

AND THIS IS JUST THE BEGINNING!

NOW YOU GO ON TO GET FREE LAND! FREE HOUSING!

FREE EDUCATION! FREE MEDICAL CARE! FREE PLAY!

AND EVEN FREE MONEY!!!

How to get FREE land in Canada . . . in Alaska . . . even in some of the most beautiful parts of Western USA.

How to go to the college of your choice without paying. And then get FREE books to boot.

How to get emergency treatment at any hospital without paying a penny for it.

How to get FREE dental work. FREE shots. FREE eyeglasses. FREE psychiatric treatment. And FREE medical care (including drugs) for almost a dozen diseases.

How to go to FREE movies—and see the best new films months before your friends do.

How to get into sports stadiums, concerts, and other entertainments for a fraction of the regular price.

Why public libraries will give you their books—for keeps—if you know the right way to ask them. And the same exact "Insider's Knowl-

edge" works with book and record publishers all over the country)!

How to get \$10 FREE from a bank. How to get up to \$600 FREE from (believe it or not) a university medical school.

How to borrow up to \$2,500-and not pay it back at all.

How to get machines that change dollar bills into coins to give you that change for nothing—over and over again.

How to get a bankbook showing you have money in that bank, when you really don't have a penny there.

How to use worthless travelers checks as security, after you've spent the money they originally cost you.

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How to get a \$300 watch FREE from the company that makes it. How to get an expense-paid trip to Las Vegas for two for exactly

\$25.

How to buy direct from the government at nothing prices.

How to get FREE legal advice, if you need it.

How to charge hundreds of dollars worth of goods on your credit

card, and never be required to pay a cent for any of it!

How to get FREE flowers. FREE drugs. FREE design-service for your apartment. FREE lessons in plumbing, electricity, woodworking, construction, jewelry-making. FREE pets. Even a FREE (or almost free) funeral if someone in your family ever needs it.

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THIS BOOK! WE'RE NOT EVEN SURE HOW LONG WE CAN
CONTINUE TO SELL IT TO YOU! WE SUGGEST THAT YOU
ORDER YOUR COPY TODAY!!!

We must point out to you, once again, that this is the most explosive, dangerous and downright subversive book we have ever read. Many of its techniques are actually illegal. We, ourselves, completely disavow them, and had an extended struggle within this firm as to whether we would sell this book to the public at all.

But we still firmly believe in the right of free speech in this country. This means the right for all opinions, all facts and all viewpoints to be exposed to the public.

Thus, we offer you this book, for your examination with our

standard money-back guarantee.

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June 22, 1973

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Your letter, with enclosure, was received on June 20th and we can understand the concern that prompted you to write. Thank you for making your views available to us and I want to assure you that we are aware of the publication advertised in the brochure you provided. I would like to point out, however, that the FBI is strictly an investigative agency of the Federal Government and decisions regarding prosecution as a result of violations of Federal laws are made by the Department of Justice.

I am forwarding a copy of your communication and of this reply to the Assistant Postmaster General, Inspection Service, United States Postal Service, Washington, D. C., for his information.

Sincerely yours,

William D. Ruckelshaus
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Acting Director

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UNITED STATES GOVE NMENT *lemorandum*

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ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 6/29/73

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TSBURGH (100-17885) (RUC)

ABHOTT HOWARD HOFFMAN,

(OO: NEW YORK)

Re Bureau letter dated 12/8/72, cantioned

SSAN 234-07-736. The city and telephone directories reflect for Hunt-

ington, W. Va., that ROBERT E. HINERMAN, 3049 Wallace Road, Huntington, W. Va., the subscriber to Huntington, W. Va., telephone number 304-523-8577. The directories further reflect that ROBERT E. HINERMAN is employed as a staff assistant, International Nickel Company, Huntington, W. Va. The Huntington, W. Va., city directory reflects that STEPHEN HINERMAN, a student, resides at 3049 Wallace Road, Huntington, W. Va.

Department of motor venicles, Charleston, W. Va., advised that ROBERT E. HINERMAN, is the holder of West Virginia Drivers License Number A557811. His address is listed as 3049 Wallace Circle, Huntington, W. Va., date of birth - 10/27/18, white male, height ~ 5'9", weight - 185 lbs., blue eyes, Social Security Account Number 234-07-7208.

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- New York l - Pittsburgh

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

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HINERMAN, is the holder of West Virginia Drivers License Number B124988. STEPHEN DAVID HINERMAN resides at 3049 Wallace Circle. Huntington, W. Va., and is a white male, born 10/28/50, weight - 146 lbs., height - 6'3", green eyes, Social Security Account Number 234-80-5919.

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mation concerning ROBERT E. or STEPHEN HIMERMAN, 3049 Wallace Road, Huntington, W. Va.

that records are negative in this department concerning ROBERT E. HINERMAN and STEPHEN DAVID HINERMAN.

hat ROBERT E. HINERMAN is an emproyee of International Nickel Company, Huntington, W. Va., and also a City Counselman for the City of Huntington, W. Va.

hat to his knowledge, ROBERT E.

HINERMAN and STEPHEN DAVID HINERMAN enjoy a good reputation in the Huntington, W. Va., area.

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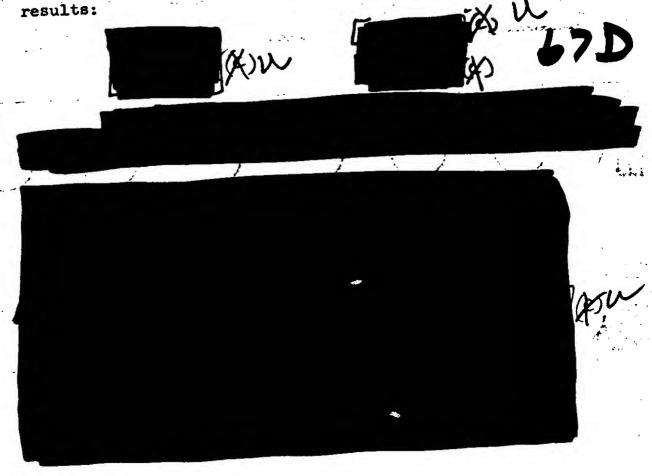
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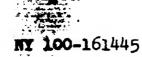
FD-122 submitted showing subject's current address as 598 Three Mile Harbor Road, East Hampton, Long Island, New York.

The following informants, who are familiar with various phases of revolutionary activity in the NYC area, were contacted during April and May, 1973, with negative results:



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LEADS:

CHICAGO

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. Will follow and report on the status of subject's contempt retrial in connection with his Anti-Riot Law case.

NEW YORK

AT EAST HAMPTON, LONG ISLAND. Will continue to follow subject's activities.

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1. X Subject's name is included in the ADEX.	i. Lakurur
2. The data appearing on the ADEX Card are current.	
5. Changes on the ADEX Card are necessary and Form FD-122 submitted to the Bureau.	
4. A suitable photograph X is is not available.	
Date photograph was taken	
5. Subject is employed in a key facility and is charged with security responsibility. Interested agencies are	
6. This report is classifiedbecause (state reason)	
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7. X Subject previously interviewed (dates) 9/6/68	
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X Subject was not reinterviewed because (state reason) when previously inter	
he was evasive and made it clear he was on the opposite side	e of
"things" to the FBI. In addition, he falsely claimed in a	
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12. Subject is Extremist invalved in ADEX and Stop Notice has been placed with NCIC.

Placed X Yes

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual or organization believed

MAY 2 3 1973

Director United States Secret Service Department of the Treasury Washington, D. C. 20220

RE:

Abbott Howard Hoffman

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED

DATE 2/5/82 BY SP5 RQ

Dear Sir:

to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning protective responsibilities, and to fall within the category or categories checked.
1. Threats or actions against persons protected by Secret Service.
2. Attempts or threats to redress grievances.
3. Threatening or abusive statement about U. S. or foreign official.
4. A Participation in civil disturbances, anti-U. S. demonstrations or hostile incidents against foreign diplomatic establishments.
5. [Illegal bombing, bomb-making or other terrorist activity.
6. Defector from U. S. or indicates desire to defect.
 Potentially dangerous because of background, emotional instability or activity in groups engaged in activities inimical to U. S.
Photograph X has been furnished enclosed is not available. Very truly yours. L. Patrick Gray. III
Acting Director

1 - Special Agent in Charge (Enclosure) (1) U. S. Secret Service, NYC (RM)

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date:

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Field Office File #:

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Bureau File #: 100-449923

Office: New York, New York

Title:

Copy to

ABBOTT HOWARD HOFFMAN

SECURITY MATTER - YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY

Subject continues to reside at 598 Three Mile Harbor Road, East Hampton, Long Island, NY, and is self-employed as a writer from his residence.

Subject has no recent affiliation ALL INDIVIDUALS INVOLVED with revolutionary movement in NYC. IN NEW LEFT EXTREMIST ACTIVITY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS BECAUSE OF THEIR KNOWN ADVOCACY AND USE OF EXPLOSIVES, RE-PORTED ACQUISITION OF FIREARMS AND INCENDIARY DEVICES, AND KNOWN PROPENSITY FOR VIOLENCE.

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DETAILS:

BACKGROUND

Residence and Employment

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that the subject and his wife, ANITA HOFFMAN, nee

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Judge GIGNOUX then set September 17, 1973, for a subsequent pretrial conference with all parties, trial regarding the contempt citations to commence no later than October 9, 1973.

II. ACTIVITIES

that the subject is no longer associated with YIP, and has been completely disavowed by current YIP leaders. Source further advised the subject has no association with the revolutionary movement in New York City (NYC), and allegedly is involved in his writings and the use of drugs.

III. MISCELLANEOUS

Other sources in the New York City area who are familiar with various phases of revolutionary activity in the New York City area, were contacted during April and May, 1973, and all advised they could furnish no additional information concerning the subject.

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New York, New York May 23, 1973

In Reply, Phase Refer to File No. Bufile 100-449923 NYTILE 100-161445

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Reference is made to New York report of Special dated and captioned as above.

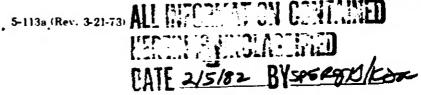
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Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date _ 8/30/73

Attached advised of arrest of New Left Extremist Abbie Hoffman on 8/28/73 in New York City (NYC) by NYCPD while attempting to sell three pounds of cocaine, worth \$500,000, to undercover police officers. Hoffman was arrested with three other individuals at the Hotel Diplomat, NYC, with all being charged with sale of dangerous drugs. Hoffman was also charged with possession of drug paraphernalia. Arraignment of Hoffman was set for 8/29/73.

Hoffman is co-founder of Youth International party (YIP), a loosely-knit antiestablishment, revolutionary youth organiztion formed in NYC in January, 1968. Hoffman has a long history of New Left violence and an extensive arrest record. Hoffman was a defendant in the "Chicago 2" Conspiracy Trial and, in 1972, authored "Steal This Book," a revolutionary manual complete with instructions concerning manufacture and use of explosives.

Subsequent information received from New York indicates that at 8/29/73 arraignment bail for Hoffman was set at \$200,000, and Hearing was set for 9/5/73 before special narcotics grand jury in New York.

New York Office following.

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ATTN INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM NEW YORK 100-161445 2P

ABBOTT HOWARD HOFFMAN, AKA SM-YIP (EXTREMIST).

ABBIE HOFFMAN ARRESTED AUGUST 28 LAST, AT HOTEL
DIPLOMAT, ONE ZERO EIGHT WEST FORTY THIRD STREET, NEW YORK CITY
(NYC) BY OFFICERS OF NARCOTICS UNIT, NYCPD, WHILE ATTEMPTING TO
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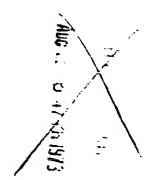
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REFERENCE NEW YORK TELETYPE, AUGUST 29, 1973.

ON AUGUST 29, 1973, MANHATTAN CRIMINAL COURT JUDGE

HYMAN SOLNIKER SET BAIL OF TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR

HOFFMAN AND THREE OTHER INDIVIDUALS MENTIONED IN REFERENCED

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REFERENCE NYTELETYPES 8/29,38/73.

ON 8/31/73, BAIL FOR SUBJECT AND THREE OTHER INDIVIDUALS MENTIONED IN RETELS WAS CUT TO FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

ON 9/5/73, A SPECIAL NARCOTICS GRAND JURY INDICTED

ALL FOUR ON CHARGES OF POSSESSION AND SALE OF COCAINE. AT

ARRAIGNMENT ALL WERE CONTINUED IN \$50,000 BAIL AND CASE WAS

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SUPREME COURT JUSTICE ABRAHAM KALINA CONTINUED SUBJECTS BAIL AT

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one of our most creative, innovative activists We realize that there are legitimate polyity work in the Lower East Side, and the anti-war movement, in which he became

port? We have no answers to these question said at the arraignment: that were the court friends and publicity could also use our suf tical questions raised by our support of AN we spend money on this particular defense bie's defense. Is dealing cocaine a political And, even if it is, is it as 1.7" except to quote what a friend of Abbie's to turn him over to us, we'd not treat portent as other political crimes? Should when so many other people and projects other people in prison with no access to need our time and money, and so many crime? magination, and his courage. Abbie was one We didn't always agree on tactics. Abbie with the public and we often "accused" him being a "closet" pacifist, for his choice of fost of all, we loved his wit, his outrageous enticized us for our dogmatic pacifism (but thetto melting pot to get the message across We appreciated his attempts to find alternathrough street theatre, siapstick, and satire. actics were often instinctively nonviolent. usually came to us-for good reason-when hat the 1968 election was as serious a crishe had an action in mind). We went along with him when we could, which was often. and filling it with a man and woman repre-He taught us much about communicating enting every possible ethnic group in the tives to dead-end violent confrontations is for humanity as the biblical flood.

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For many years, we have worked side by supposedly meant to assure a defendents apcourt appearance. The excessively high bail Abbie and his friends behind bars for a long arrested about 30 times and never missed a his long movement career, Abbie has been lime. The reason for this letter is to help mise money for the best possible legal deis obviously malicious; simed at keeping get them out of jail quickly and to help

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D Abbie's defense. There is, of course, a legithcarance at trial, not as punishment. During more than \$200,000 to release all four, pend have read in the papers, though Anita Hoff-Peterson were amented for allegedly dealing under \$50,000 ball each (meaning it'll take Michael Droeman, Carole Ramer and Diane present, we know little more than what we cocaine in New York. They are being held mate civil liberties issue involved. Bail is On August 28 Abbie Hoffman along with punishable by from 15 years to life! At man and their friends are organizing for ing trial) and are charged with a felony

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9/14/73 DATE:

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SUBJECT: ABBOTT HOWARD HOFFMAN, aka

SUBVERSIVE MATTER - YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY (YIP)

PURPOSE:

To advise of current status of captioned subject. who was arrested 8/28/73 in New York City (NYC) by NYCPD on drug charges.

DETAILS:

Subject, a "Chicago Seven" defendant and co-founder of Youth International Party (YIP), a loosely-knit antiestablishment, revolutionary youth organization formed in NYC in January, 1968, was arrested with three other individuals in NYC 8/28/73 by NYCPD while attempting to sell \$500,000 worth of cocaine to undercover police officers. Subject, who was charged with sale of dangerous drugs and possession of drug paraphernalia, failed to post bond of \$200,000 at 8/29/73 hearing and was incarcerated by NYC authorities. On 8/31/73, at a bond hearing, subject's bail was reduced to \$50,000. which subject failed to post. 100

On 9/5/73, a special County of New York Narcotics Grand Jury indicted subject on charges of possession and sale Subject was arraigned same date and failed to post continued \$50,000 bail. Subject's case was then sent to Marcotics Division of the Supreme Court of New York State. County of New York. On 9/11/73, a superseding indictment was returned against subject, adding a conspiracy charge and a charge of an earlier sale of cocaine. New York State Supre Court continued subject's bail at \$50,000, but subject failed to post bail and remains incarcerated in the Manhattan House of Detention for Men. NYC.

ACTION:

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DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449923)

10/17/73

SAC, NEW YORK (100-161445)

ABBOTT HOWARD HOFFMAN, aka SM-YIP (EXTREMIST)

ReNYtel, 9/12/73.

on 10/16/73,

advised tat bail, as set forth in retel, has not been posted for HOFFMAN to date and he remains in the Manhattan House of Detention for Men, NYC. Trial is tenatively scheduled for 10/26/73, Supreme Court of NYS, County of New York.

New York is following and the Bureau will be advised.

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ReNYlet to Bureau, dated 10/17/73, and CGairtel to Bureau, dated 10/23/73, captioned "DAVID TYRE DELLINGER aka, ET AL; COC".

On 10/31/73, records of Centralized Special Parts, Supreme Court of NY State, County of NY, reviewed by SC revealed that subject was released from the Manhattan House of Detention, NYC, after bail of \$10,000 was posted 9/14/73, by his wife, ANITA/HOFFMAN. Address given was '90 Lefcourt, 640 Broadway, NYC". It is noted that this address is law office of subject's attorney, GERALD LEFCOURT.

For Chicago information, HOFFMAN was arrested by NYCPD, 8/28/73, and was indicted 9/5/73 on charges of possession and sale of cocaine.

As set forth in referenced airtel, HOFFMAN is one of the defendants in COC trial which began 10/29/73 in Chicago, and will of necessity be in Chicago for an indefinite period.

Chicago will advise of pertinent developments.

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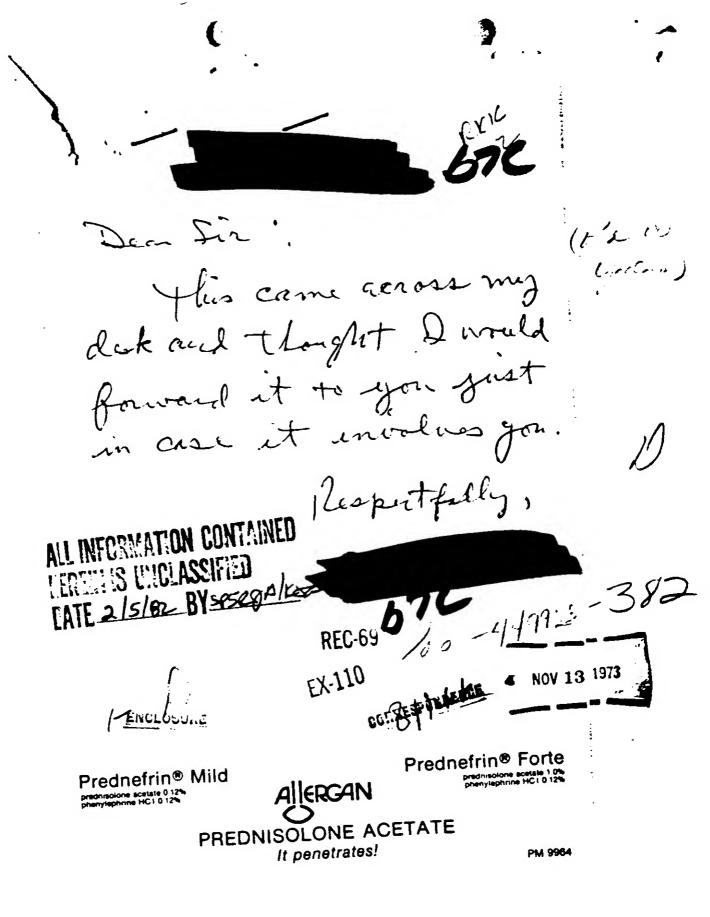
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But this is only the beginning! Because if you don't want to eat out all the time, but want to dine sumptuously at home on other people's food, then just wait till you read this—

HOW TO MAKE SUFFRYARKETS GIVE YOU THETH ROOL

FREE!

If you live in these states (mentioned on page 121 of this book) you can get up to \$100 worth of FREE purchases a month, through one simple ruse.

Or, in any state, this is what you

can now do:

You can get FREE meat from the butcher, just by asking him the right way. FREE LP records. FREE gourmet sandwiches. FREE fish. FREE package goods. FREE steaks or chops. FREE vegetable products. In fact, so much FREE FOOD that you may have to buy a freezer to store it!

Now, there are some foods that you can't get completely free most of the time. So you use maneuvers like these:

You pay the price of the smallest size, but you get the large economy size for it.

You buy butter for the price of margarine.

You buy steaks for the price of potatoes (when you can't get them free).

You pay half the price for canned goods.

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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

You can realize, of course, how the explosive nature of this material prohibits us from using the name of this nationally famous author here. However, we can say this:

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Sincerely yours,

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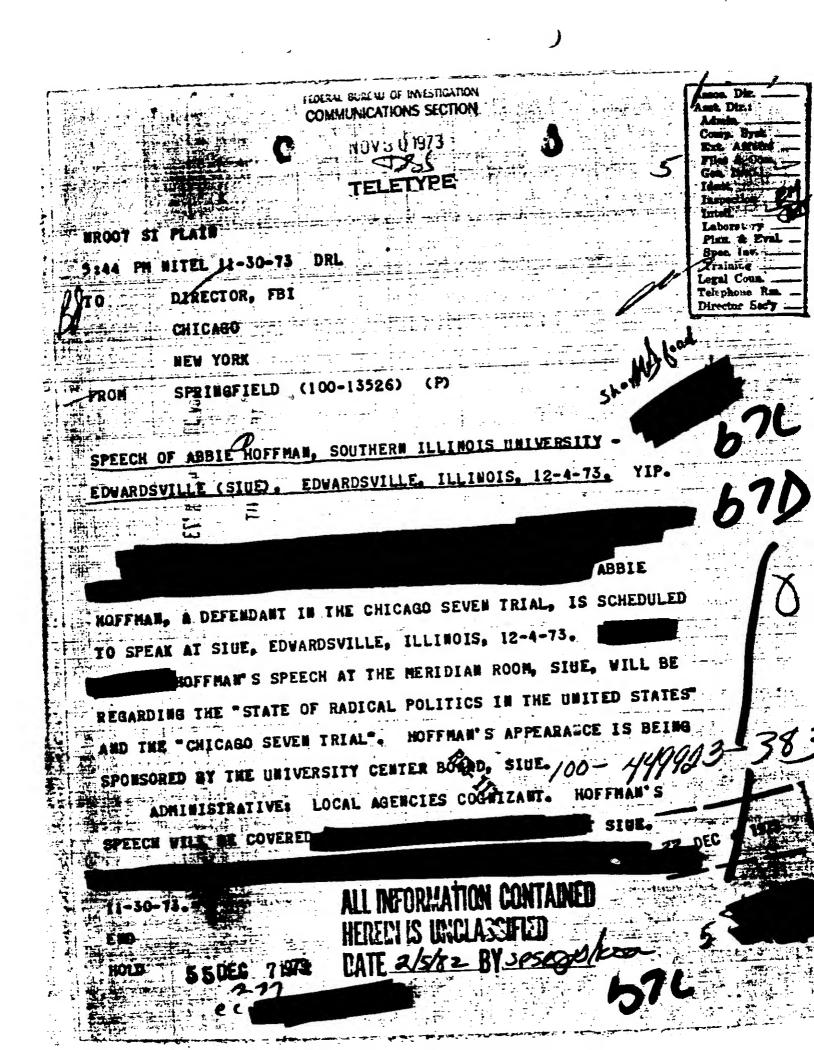
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DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449923)

DATE: 2/8/74

SAC, NEW YORK (100-161445)(P)

ABBOTT HOWARD HOFFMAN, aka

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On 1/29/74, records of Centralized Special Parts,
Supreme Court of New York State, County of New York, reviewed
by SC failed to reflect date of
prosecutive action concerning subject's arrest by NYCPD
on 8/28/73 and status was "still in motion". SE
ascertained that Assistant District Attorney DAVE CUNNINGHAM,
New York County, was handling this case.

On 2/8/74, ADA CUNNINGHAM telephonically advised that trial is tentatively scheduled for 2/25/74, Supreme Court of NYS, County of New York. This date is dependent upon availability of subject's attorney GERALD LEFCOURT, who is currently engaged as defense attorney in trial involving BLA member HENRY BROWN.

NY is following and the Bureau will be advised.

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Enclosed for your assistance is one copy of an article which appeared in the 2/27/74 edition of "The New York Times," page 66, captioned "Cavett's Revised Radicals Show

In view of the obvious interest of this Bureau in comments of individuals named in the enclosure who will appear on the broadcast of 3/21/74, you should arrange to have that broadcast monitored for pertinent comments. Particular attention should be paid for statements indicative of a violation of Federal law.

The day following the above broadcast, you should, under appropriate caption, furnish FBIRQ a summary highlighting the broadcast, accompanied by your recommendation as to any additional action deemed necessary. You should also insure that, where necessary, appropriate comments made during the broadcast are channeled to field office files.

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Dick Cavett had produced a 90 minute program featuring radical leaders of the 1960s which was to have been put on the air on 22/7/74. The network objected to its presentation as it lacked ideological balance. This program, with changes, is now scheduled to be broadcast 3/21/74 at 11:30 pm. Showing time has been extended approximately 10 minutes to allow a panel of conservatives to comment on statements made by radicals during the broadcast. The program features Mr. Cavett in a joint interview with Abbie Hoffman, Tom Hayden, Jerry Rubin and Rennie Davis all of whom have been of interest to this Bureau in recent years.

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Cavett's Revised Radicals Show Now Set for March 21 by A.B.C.

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After certain concessions had the judicial system and the been made to the network, the hostilities in Southeast Asia. program was rescheduled for March 21 at 11:30 P.M. It will run 10 to 12 minutes past the usual 1 A.M. conclusion, a spokesman for Daphne said, "because a new piece is being added at the end" to allow a panel of conservatives to comment on certain statements made by the radicals,

To Have New Opening

The program features Mr. Cavett in a joint interview with Abbie Hoffman, Tom Hayden, Jerry Rubin and Rennie Davis. The spokesman said the rebuttal portion would be taped today, probably with Jeffrey St.

John as one of the panelists.

Mr. Cavett will also tape a new opening for the program, in which he will explain why the program was not aired in its original form that a few minor excisions had been made.

The spokesman said the excisions will consist of several blips," some deleting scata-logical expletives should from the audiences, one erising a statement on bomb-throwing by lfr. Hoffman, and mother

scheduled date. The network's minutes long, rebuttal would objection to the program, which had been taped the previous points, he said, including the day, was primarily that it radicals' comments on the moral state of the government, after certain concessions had the judicial system and the



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ON MARCH 28, 1974, ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY DAVE CUNNINGHAN, NEW YORK COUNTY, TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED THAT NO DATE HAS BEEN SET TO DATE FOR TRIAL CONCERNING HOFFMAN'S ARREST BY NYCPD ON AUGUST 28. 1973. CUNNINGHAM EXPLAINED THAT HE CANNOT PROCEED WITH PROSECUTIVE ACTIVE ACTION UNTIL HE RECIEVES INFORMATION FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, WASHINGTON, D.C. REGARDING ANY WITRE TAPS THAT CONCERNED HOFFMAN WHICH COULD "TAINT" HIS CASE. CUNNINGHAM STATED HE HAD RECENTLY BEEN IN CONTACT WITH KEVIN MARONEY, CRIMINAL DIVISION, OF THE DEPARTMENT IN THIS REGARD.

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CAVETT: What are you doing these days?

ABBIE HOFFMAN: Building a house with a group of friends, a collective; experimenting with new life styles; writing more - an article is coming out in Harpers re testing limits of free speech; doing research on a book; was busted on "set up" by the NYCPD - facing mandatory life. CAVETT said rules would not allow HOFFMAN to plead his case on TV but HOFFMAN stated he had no compulsion to not talk or write about it because they have all been on trial one way or another in the last 12 years.

JERRY RUBIN: Stated he was living in San Francisco, not married, and is getting in touch with himself and his body. He is living a quieter life but a evolutionary life.

RENNIE DAVIS: Talked about finding love and meaning of life through MAHARAJI JI, the 16-year old GURU. He is concerned with meditating and recently toured 22 states to spread teaching of GURU.

TOM HAYDEN: Works in a group based in Los Angeles, chapters in 25 states, called Indochina Peace Campaign. Purpose is to keep the issue of the current war in Cambodia before the people and to impress on Congress the need to cut aid for prolonging the war that goes on in South Vietnam and Cambodia.

CAVETT: Why aren't the old tactics being used now?

TOM HAYDEN: Replied that the situation today is different, the last time they were in congress together was when they were called before the HCUA, they had a confrontation with that committee which weakened the committee and because of them this committee changed its name; now he can teach a class with some congressional aids in a sub-committee room in the House of Representatives. The movement of the 1960's caused the election of people who they feel now represent the principles of peace and democracy. A by-product of the demonstrat of the 1960's and the Civil Rights Movement was a changed atmosphe in the country which permitted the election of desireable people. Certain things can now happen within congress, particularly cuttin off aid for Indochina.

CAVETT: Do they get any credit or do they think they were responsible for the end of the Vietnam War?

ABBIE HOFFMAN: Thinks they went to Chicago in 1968 to oppose the war in Vietnam and other reasons such as racism in the country, oppose policies of the people who were then in power. Replied that the people who opposed the war were responsible for ending the war. Stated the election of RICHARD NIXON was in the final analysis a good thing because now we are seeing the US Government in all its nakedness, corruption and brutality. Stated they were not aware of what was going to happen in Chicago. They went there to protest the policies of the US Government. Stated they were not a conspiracy then or now, that they were lucky to physically survive Chicago and lucky to survive all the Government threats to them.

JERRY RUBIN: We were in physical danger at all times but due to thrust of their actions he did not regret it. Thinks the 1960's were one of the greatest periods in American History - proud to be part of a generation that did what they did as everything they did has been proven correct - we did things in the 1960's which added to the demise of the government. I acted on my beliefs and am not interested in any credit - I acted because I was outraged about what my Government was doing in Vietnam and the quality of life in America.

CAVETT: How much did you plan what people might call your bizarre actions? Was there a game plan or philosophy of when or when not to break the law?

ABBIE HOFFMAN: No, but there was a kind of spirit you might want to put forth which would encourage spontaneous outrage on the part of the people - we were not a carefully organized conspiracy, we were not the kind of movement that existed in the 30's of tightly organized groups; we were not based on carefully thought out plans or sterile ideological committment; our struggle was a struggle that grew out of moral outrage, it grew out of personal experiences which were witnessed and absorbed the ideas we had were not ideas that grew out of books, they were ideas that grew out of action and struggle. Some of the outrageous acts/done because we were fighting in a electronic jungle which allowed one minute to get across the message.

JERRY RUBIN: The struggle grew out of outrage but there was a strategybecause in the early 1960's we were a vocal minority and the media was uninterested in publishing the facts of war in Vietnam and we did plan activities that would get attention of the media to then influence and mobilize public opinion against the immoralities of the country.

CAVETT: Was it worth it?

JERRY RUBIN: None of us were worried at any time about breaking the lawbeause the law was immoral.

CAVETT: Was there any guilt for what you did or caused?

ABBIE HOFFMAN: Felt guilty for having to attack other people due to their differences of ideals, but not for any actions in the or against the Government.

CAVETT: How about the people in the movement who blew themselves up, any guil about them?

JERRY RUBIN: I don't feel any guilt because feeling guilty implies a lack of responsibility and I take responsibility for everything I did. The people in the movement took responsibility for their action. No body did what they did on orders from any hierarchy but acted because of their own personal motivations. There is a collective mass guilt in this country because citizens in this country do not take responsibility being evil in the way it oppresses black people, putting people in jail, and the war in Vietnam.

CAVETT: Was their action at the Chicago trial cooly calculated?

TOM HAYDEN: They were aware they were not in a normal situation, not a normal courtroom or Justice Department; referred to recently released FBI documents which set forth FBI program starting in 1968 for getting rid of the New Left Movement. They knew they were in the hands of an extra-legal operation that became Watergate. He stated 350 FBI agents worked on their indictment and 57 witnesses were called against them. Said we needed to go out and speak and mobilize the people and had to do it knowing we were going to be accused of illegal acts for doing just that.

JERRY RUBIN: Stated we were not the victims of the Chicago trial, we were privileged to be on trial and to be covered by TV. Stated that after the Chicago trial, people looked on the court system in the US with a lack of respect and authority. Stated America is committing serious crimes.

RENNIE DAVIS: We tried to say that the legal system in this country is not in tune with justice. Not everyone agreed with our policies or style, but we made people conscious of corruption of the system.

TOM HAYDEN: It is ironic that the same people who wanted to send us to jail are now in jail themselves and we are out on the streets. Justice is still Political. Politically our case has been made and the case of those who wanted to silence the movement becoming increasingly discredited.

CAVETT: Are there any courts you respected?

TOM HAYDEN: We didn't like the way the system of Justice functioned, we were in various courts and were sometimes able to win, but you can have a good verdict and still say that the system that dispenses the verdict is rotten.

CAVETT: What is going on today?

JERRY RUBIN: The 60's were issue oriented, in the 70's the people are going inward and discovering themselves. The movement is by no means dead. Society is in great crisis and the country is falling apart. There is a spiritual and cultural renaissance going on in this country.

CAVETT: What part do any of you plan to play?

JERRY RUBIN: The late 70's are going to combine the action tactics of the 60's with the intouch feelings of the 70's. The most important thing going on is the Women's Movement because that breaks down the whole structure of society. Women are discovering their power. There were women active in the Yippies but they didn't have a chance to express themselves because of male chauvinism in the movement and society. JUDY GUMBO and NANCY KURSHAN were women in the Yippies. The men dominated, however, and that is one of the reasons why the movement dissintergrated.

CAVETT: What do radicals live on when they are radicalizing and where do you get your income?

RENNIE DAVIS: Most of us get our money from people who support our work, but there is little of it and no life style attached to it. Generally get money out of speaking or contributions from people who support the kind of vision we strive to work for.

JERRY RUBIN: Commented he got money from stealing. The rich get their money from owing the natural resources of our world - the real question should be where the rich get their money.

ABBIE HOFFMAN: During and after the trial we got alot of money giving speeches, writing books; almost all the money was absorbed into the trial but the IRS did investigate, at least against me, and assessed me for money that was donated for the trial. The IRS was definitely used by the Nixon Administration to fight protest movement.

CAVETT: What if a kid gets hold of some of your old rheotoric and says Idm going to throw a bomb into a munitious plant, what would you tell him?

ABBIE HOFFMAN: Used "never met a man who was corrupted by a book or anything". The use of bombs at that particular wement will be the correct method - I think tactics of struggle are decided by the people who engage in struggle and if they're good the tactics will fit - hard to judge tactics - the act would have to be tied to some goal, why was the person doing it and everything.

TOM HAYDEN: I can understand the spirit of the person but I don't think it would be the most effective thing to do right now because what you really have to do is blow up what is in peoples heads that keeps them from seeing what is going on.

Following the appearance of HOFFMAN, RUBIN, DAVIS and HAYDEN, DICK CAVETT conducted an added hour discussion with JEFFREY ST. JOHN, political commentator and author, and FRAN GRIFFIN, Illinois State Chairman of the Young Americans for Freedom, who were designated as a "conservative" panel to comment on statements made by the "radicals" for the purpose of adding "balance" to the program.

During this "rebuttal" period, ST. JOHN and GRIFFIN did not refute individual statements made by the 4 radicals but pointed out that the 4 are really reactionaries who were "basically dishonest, morally corrupt, ruthless nihilists", that they didn't say "anything is justified if the cause is moral" but inferred that any tactics they could use were justified; that they didn't advocate violence, they just didn't denounce it, and allowed physical force to solve their problems. ST. JOHN characterized them as "4 little dictators looking for a dictorship", that they were very adapt at evading issues they wanted to evade; that they were not concerned with people and noted that the Left never supported efforts to abolish the draft because it was an issue with them to be used against the Government, which to them was more important. He stated they were 4 people committed to irrational behavior, that they believed the system of Government in the US wouldn't work and wanted us to change over to a Socialist system. He stated that TOM HAYDEN was interested in power, not an issues, but he did not consider him an intellectual. GRIFFIN noted that what is relevant is the damage the 4 did during the Vietnam war in that North Vietnam held out longer because of their actions. She stated that the 4 are all "has-beens" with the exception of HAYDEN who with his wife, JANE FONDA", are working for their cause which concerns POW's in Vietnam.

Although the various statements made by HOFFMAN, RUBIN, DAVIS and HAYDEN during the program indicated a hostile attitude towards the US Government, it is not felt that any of the statements are in violation of Federal law and no additional action is deemed necessary.

A tape of the program is available in NY.

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Assistant Attorney General Criminal Division

April 10, 1974

Director, FBI

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ABBOTT H. HOFFMAN, also known as Abbie Hoffman ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE 1 - Mr. Cleveland

1 - Mr.

Reference is made to your memorandum dated March 19, 1974, requesting an electronic surveillance check on the above-captioned individual, and previous correspondence from this Bureau concerning Hoffman dated August 26, 1969, July 2, 1971, July 14, 1971, July 15, 1971, February 8, 1973, and April 2, 1974.

This is to advise that Bureau files contain no information relating to Hoffman not already set forth in the above-mentioned correspondence. In addition, our New York office reports that it has never disseminated any electronic surveillance data pertaining to Hoffman to the New York City Police Department, either in the present instance or in any other investigation.

It is suggested that other Federal investigative agencies be contacted to determine if they had coverage of Hoffman.

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NOTE: Subject was arrested 8/28/73 by the NYCPD on local parcotics charges, and the Department has agreed to conduct an elsur check for the Special Narcotics Prosecutor in NYC. There has been no poverage of Hoffman since that previously reported in referenced communications, but the Department has requested a statement to the effect that we did not provide the NYCPD with any electronic surveillance data in instant case. In addition, Hoffman's name has been cleared with SA of the Intelligence Division.

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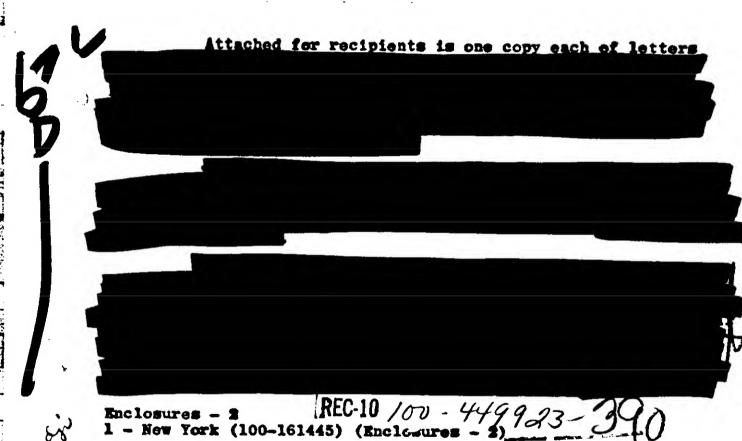
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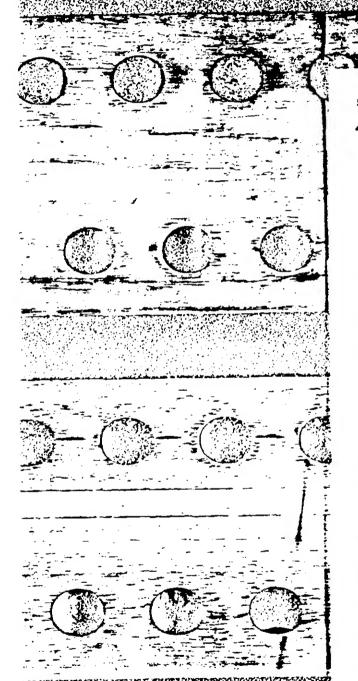
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INFORMATIVE NOTE

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Abbie Hoffman was cofounder of Youth International Party (YIP) (a loosely-knit antiestablishment, revolutionary youth organization formed in New York City (NYC) in 1/68) and has an extensive history of New Left violence and related arrests. Hoffman was defendant in the "Chicago 7" Conspiracy Trial and in 1972 authored 'Steal This Book," a revolutionary manual complete with instructions concerning the manufacture and use of explosives. Hoffman was arrested 8/28/73 in NYC by NYCPD while attempting to sell three pounds of cocaine to undercover police officers. He was indicted on 9/5/73 and has been released on bond awaiting trial.

Attached notes New York State Supreme Court ordered forfeiture of Hoffman's \$10,000 bail and issued bench warrant for his arrest as result of his failure to appear in court, as scheduled, on 4/16/74. Inquiries in NYC indicate Hoffman reportedly isited his sister in Mexico City in 2/74, failed to attend his father's funeral on 3/29/74 and is not known to have been at hilong Island, New York, residence in the recent past. Hoffman's defense attorney is also reportedly unaware of Hoffman's whereabouts. New York attempting to locate Hoffman.

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ABBOTT HOWARD HOFFMAN, AKA, SM-YIP (EXTREMIST).

RE NEW YORK TELETYPE, MARCH 21, 1974.

ON APRIL 16, 1974, SPECIAL NARCOTICS PROSECUTOR, NEW YORK COUNTY,
ANNOUNCED THAT ACTING NEW YORK STATE SUPREME COURT JUSTICE

MARY JOHNSON LOWE ORDERED FORFEITURE OF SUBJECT'S \$10,000 BAIL.

AND ISSUMED BENCH WARRANT FOR SUBJECT'S ARREST AS RESULT OF HOFFMAN,
FAILURE TO APPEAR FOR MYS SUPREME COURT HEARING ON MARCH 25, 1974.

AT THAT TIME, HOFFMAN'S ATTORNEY GERALD LEFCOURT, REQUESTED AND
RECEIVED DELAY ON EXECUTION OF WARRANT PENDING HOFFMAN'S NEXT

SCHEDULED APPEARANCE IN COURT, WHICH WAS APRIL 16, 1974.

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HOFFMAN DID NOT APPEAR APRIL 16, 1974. HIS LAST APPEARANCE IS COURT
WAS ON FEBRUARY 25, 1974.

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ON APRIL 16, 1974, ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY DAVID
CUNNINGHAM, NEW YORK COUNTY, ADVISED LEFCOURT HAS INDICATED HE DOES
NOT KNOWN WHEREABOUTS OF HOFFMAN. ACCORDING TO CUNNINGHAM,
SUBJECT REPORTEDLY DID NOT APPEAR AT HIS FATHER'S FUNERAL IN
WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS, ON MARCH 29, 1974, AND REPORTEDLY
HAD VISITED HIS SISTER IN MEXICO CITY DURING FEBRUARY. 1974.

ON APRIL 17, 1974, NEIGHBORHOOD INQUIRY AT EAST HAMPION,
LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK, ASCERTAINED SUBJECT AND HIS WIFE HAVE NOT BEEN
OBSEFTED AT THEIR RESIDENCE IN RECENT PAST.

BOSTON REQUESTED TO INTERVIEW

FOR ALL AVAILABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING SUBJECT'S WHEREABOUTS, ATTEMPTS TO LOCATE SUBJECT AT TIME OF FATHER'S DEATH, AND DETAILS OF REPORTED VISIT TO SISTER, PHYLLIS ELINE HOFFMAN, IN MEXICO CITY IN FEBRUARY, 1974. H IT IS NOTED THAT NY DAILY NEWS, APRIL 17, 1974, INDICATED SUBJECT JOINED HIS FATHER AND SISTER IN MEXICO CITY FOR FAMILY REUNION AT THAT TIME.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449923) TO

DATE: 4/24/74



SAC. NEW YORK (100-161445)(P)

ABBOTT-HOWARD HOFFMAN aka SM (EXTREMIST)

Rerep of SA NY 5/23/73; CG 12/27/73 captioned report of SA "ABBOTT HOWARD HOFFMAN aka; CONTEMPT OF COURT"; and NYtels to Bureau, 8/29/73, 9/12/73, and 4/17/74.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are eight copies of an LHM pertaining to captioned subject. copies of FD-376 are also attached, one of which is for dissemination to Secret Service, Washington, DC. A copy of the LHM is being furnished locally to Secret Service, NYC.

Two current photographs of the subject are also enclosed.

An FD-122 reflecting subject's residence and employment as "unknown" was submitted on 4/18/74.

On 4/18/74, Washington Field was requested to expeditiously review records of the Passport Office, USDS, WDC, to determine if subject has been issued a current passport.

On 4/18/74, ADA DAVID CUNNINGHAM, NY County, advised he would shortly submit a letter to the NYO re

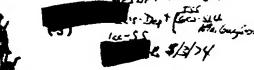
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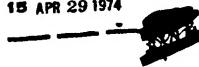
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AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Will initiate UFAP process upon receipt of letter from the District Attorney's Office, NY County, and will ascertain subject's current whereabouts.

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6.	This report is classifiedbecause (state reason)
7	Subject previously interviewed (dates) 9/6/68
· ·	Subject was not interviewed reinterviewed because (state reason)
	his current whereabouts are unknown.
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WASRINGTON, D.C. 20535

Director United States Secret Service Department of the Treasury Washington, D. C. 20220 In Reply, Please Refer to File Na Bureau 100-449923 New York 100-161445

RE: Abbott Howard Hoffman

Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual or organization believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning protective responsibilities, and the fall within the category or categories checked.
1. Threats or actions against persons protected by Secret Service.
2. Attempts or threats to redress grievances.
3. Threatening or abusive statement about U.S. or foreign official.
4. Participation in civil disturbances, anti-U. S. demonstrations or hostile incidents against foreign diplomatic establishments.
5. [Illegal bombing, bomb-making or other terrorist activity.
6. Defector from U.S. or indicates desire to defect.
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In Reply, Plane Bifor to
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Abbott Howard Hoffman



Three Mile Harbor Raod, East Hampton, MY, owned by the subject's mother-in-law, Leab Kushner, until four - six months ago and had not been seen in that area since that time.

that he could furnish ho information concerning the whereabouts of the subject.

On April 18, 1974, Assistant District Attorney David Cunningham, NY County, NY, NY, advised that Hoffman reportedly had been residing at 14 East 11th Street, NY, NY, in the early part of 1974 but was no longer located at that address.

The subject's current whereabouts are unknown.

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Arrests

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1. Anti-Riot Law Violation, Chicago, Illinois

Hoffman was a defendant in the matter entitled United States of America vs. David T. Dellinger, Et Al," in United States District Court (USDC), Chicago, the trial commonly known as the Conspiracy Seven (Anti-Riot Law) trial, in the period September 24, 1969 to February 18, 1970. He was convicted of the substantive Anti-Riot Law violation for which tried, however, in January, 1973 that charge was dismissed at the request of the Government, when in November, 1972, the United States Court of Appeals (USCA), 7th Circuit, Chicago, reversed the conviction and remanded for a new trial, if the Government so desired.

On February 14, 1970, near the end of the above trial, Hoffman was cited by trial Judge Julius J. Hoffman for criminal contempt of court on 23 separate counts, as a result of his actions and statements in court during that trial. He was sentenced to a total of eight months in the custody of the Attorney General, bond was denied and on February 14, 1970, he was incarcerated in Cook County Jail, Chicago.

On February 28, 1970, the USCA, Chicago, issued an order for the release of Hoffman on bond, set in the amount of \$25,000.

On May 11, 1972, the USCA reversed the contempt convictions of Hoffman and remanded them to the USDC, Chicago, for a new trial before > judge other than the original trial judge.

On November 1, 1972, Assistant United States
Attorney (AUSA) Garry Starkman, Northern District of Illinois
(NDI), Chicago, advised that on October 30, 1972, United
States Supreme Court Chief Justice Warren Burger and
announced the appointment of USDC Judge Edward T. Gignoux,
Portland, Maine, to rehear the contempt convictions of
Hoffman, and his fellow defendants from the Conspiracy
Seria trial, likewise cited for contempt by Judge Hoffman.

Abbott Howard Hoffman

On November 29, 1972, AUSA Starkman advised the Government had determined that in the retrial proceeding involving Hoffman, sixteen of the original 23 contempt citations would be dropped, with only seven to be prosecuted.

On October 29, 1973, trial of Hoffman and his associates commenced in USDC, Chicago, on the contempt charges. On November 3, 1973, after defense arguments for directed verdicts of acquital on all counts, Judge Gignoux dismissed two of the seven remaining counts against Hoffman.

On December 4, 1973, at the conclusion of the bench trial, Judge Gignoux acquitted Hoffman on three of the five contempt counts and adjudged him guilty on the remaining two. He set December 6, 1973 for sentencing.

On December 6, 1973, Judge Gignoux discharged and released Hoffman, stating that in the present circumstances surrounding this retrial, he felt the guilty finding was sufficient punishment and that some four years after the original trial, no warrant existed for imposition of a jail sentence on Hoffman beyond the time already served by him (February 14, 1970 - February 28, 1970).

 Arrest by New York City Police Department August 28, 1973

advised that Abbie Hoffman and three others were arrested August 28, 1973 at Hotel Diplomat, New York City (NYC), by officers of the Narcotics Unit, NYCPD, while attempting to sell three pounds of cocaine, street value of \$500.000, to undercover agents of that department.

Hoffman was being charged for the sale of dangerous drugs and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Abbott Howard Hoffman

On September 5, 1973, a Special Narcotics Grand Jury, NY County, NY, NY, indicted Hoffman and three others on charges of possession and sale of cocaine. At the arraignment all were continued in \$50,000 bail and case was sent to the Narcotics Division of the Supreme Court of NY State, County of NY. On September 11, 1973, superseding indictments on Hoffman and three others added charges of conspiracy and of earlier sale of a small amount of cocaine.

On October 31, 1973, records of the Centralized
Special Parts, Supreme Court of NY State, NY County, reviewed
by Special Clerk
subject was released from the Manhattan House of Detention,
NYC, after cash bail of \$10,000 was posted September 14,
1973 by his wife Anita Hoffman Hoffman furnished address
as 640 Broadway, NYC, which is law office of his attorney,
Gerald Lefcourt.

On April 16, 1974, Special Narcotics Prosecutor Frank Rogers, NY County, NY, NY, announced that Acting New York State Supreme Court Justice Mary Johnson Lowe ordered forfeiture of subject's \$10,000 bail and issued a bench warrant for subject's arrest as a result of Hoffman's failure to appear for a NY State Supreme Court hearing on March 25, 1974. At that time, Hoffman's attorney, Gerald Lefcourt, requested and received delay of execution of warrant pending subject's next scheduled appearance in that court on April 16, 1974. Hoffman did not appear on April 16, 1974 and the bench warrant was put into effect.

Affiliation with the Youth International Party (YIP)

The YIP is a loosely-knit, antiestablishment, revolutionary youth organization formed in NYC in January, 1968. In May, 1972 a small faction calling itself YIP - Zippies came into being. Ambott Howard Hoffman

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Interview on "The Dick Cavett Show" March 21, 1974

On March 21, 1974, Tom Hayden, Jerry Rubin, and Rennie Davis appeared with subject as guests on "The Dick Cavett Show", ABC Television network, 11:30 p.m. - 1:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time. This program, originally scheduled to be presented February 7, 1974, was cancelled at that time and was reportedly presented on this date with minor alterations.

Tom Hayden, Jerry Rubin, and Rennie Davis, along with subject, on February 18, 1970 were found guilty in the so-called Conspiracy Seven trial of anti-riot law violations that arose from activities during the National Democratic Convention in 1968. On November 27, 1972, the United States Court of Appeals, 7th Circuit, Chicago, Illinois, reversed the conviction. On December 4, 1973, Hayden and Davis were acquitted of contempt citations arising from the trial while Rubin and Hoffman were found guilty of contempt but were discharged and released on December 6, 1973.

Abbott Howard Hoffman

In response to a question by Cavett, "What are you doing these days?", Hoffman replied; Building a house with a group of friends, a collective; experimenting with new life styles; writing more - an article is coming out in Harpers re testing limits of free speech; doing research on a book; was busted on "set up" by the NYCPD - facing mandatory life. Cavett said rules would not allow Hoffman to plead his case on TV but Hoffman stated he had no compulsion to not talk or write about it because they have all been on trial one way or another in the last 12 years.

In response to a question by Cavett, "Do they get any credit or do they think they were responsible for the end of the Vietnam War?", Hoffman replied: Thinks they went to Chicago in 1968 to oppose the war in Vietnam and other reasons such as racism in the country, oppose policies of the people who were then in power. Replied that the people who opposed the war were responsible for ending the war. Stated the election of Richard Nixon was in the final analysis a good thing because now we are seeing the United States Government in all its nakedness, corruption and brutality. Stated they were not aware of what was going to happen in Chicago. They went there to protest the policies of the United States Government. Stated they were not a conspiracy then or now, that they were lucky to physically survive Chicago and lucky to survive all the Government threats to them.

In response to a question by Cavett, "How much did you plan what people might call your bizarre actions? Was there a game plan or philosophy of when or when not to break the law?", Hoffman replied No, but there was a kind of spirit you might want to put forth which would encourage spontaneous outrage on the part of the people - we were not a carefully organized conspiracy, we were not the kind of movement that existed in the 30's of tightly organized groups; were not based on carefully thought out plans or sterile ideological commitment; our struggle was a struggle that



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grew out of moral outrage, it grew out of personal experiences which were witnessed and absorbed; the ideas that grew out of action and struggle. Some of the outrageous acts were done because we were fighting in an electronic jungle which allowed one minute to get across the message.

In response to a question by Cavett, "What if a kid gets hold of some of your old rhetoric and says I'm going to throw a bomb into a munitious plant, what would you tell him?", Hoffman replied, using quotes, "never met a man who was corrupted by a book or anything". The use of bombs at that particular moment will be the correct method - I think tactics of struggle are decided by the people who engage in struggle and if they're good the tactics will fit - hard to judge tactics - the act would have to be tied to some goal, why was the person doing it and everything.

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In view of the foregoing and in the absence of any recent known connections between Moffman and the YIP the subcharacter YIP is being deleted from the caption of this investigation and future communications concerning subject's "movement" activities should be captioned as above.



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Hoffman, co-founder of YIP, is currently subject of a UFAP investigation following his failure to appear in court in New York City on 4/16/74 concerning his trial for attempted sale of narcotics to undercover police officers in that city on 8/28/73. In the absence of any current information linking Heffman with YIP, same is being deleted from character of this investigation.

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SUBJECT: ABBOTT HOWARD HOFFMAN, aka

CHARACTER: SM-YIP

REFERENCE: Memorandum dated 5/23/73

Referenced communication contained subject's residence and or employment address. A recent change has been determined and is being set forth below (change only specified):

Residence: UNKNOWN

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SUBJECT:

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Review of subject's file reflects he was issued U.S. Passport J 349844 on 4/11/68, at New York, New York.

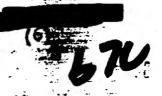
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(ATTN: INTD) (188 - 449923)DIRECTOR TO

> (190-161445) NEW YORK

FROM (100-38603)BOSTON

ABBOTT HOWARD HOFFMAN, AKA, SM-YIP

RE BOSTON TEL. APRIL 18, 1974.

DURING THE AFTERNOON OF APRIL 18, 1974 AN ANONYMOUS MALE TELEPHONE CALLER ADVISED A SPECIAL AGENT AT THE WORCESTER, MASS. RE THAT JOHN HOFFMAN, THE BROTHER OF THE SUBJECT, HAD TRAVELLED TO MEXICO DURING THE WEEK OF APRIL 7 LAST TO VISIT HIS SISTER PHYLLIS WHO REPORTEDLY RESIDES IN MEXICO CITY. MEXICO. THE CALLED ADDED THAT ABBY WAS CURRENTLY WITH JOHN AND PHYLLIS. IN MEXICO CITY.

FOR INFORMATION OF HEADQUARTERS AND NEW YORK. PYHLIS ELAINE HOFFMAN, AKA ELENA HOFFMAN, WAS REPORTEDLY RESIDING IN MEXICO CITY AS ST MARCH, 1971. SEC-73 REPORTEDLY WAS RESIDING WITH AN UNKNOWN MALE WHO WAS WELL TO DO AND WAS GIVING HER RESIDENCE AND

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Phyllis Elaine KHOFFMAN

SUSTENANCE. PHYLLIS HOFFMAN IS DESCRIBED AS A

MEXICO WHITE FEMALE, BORN MARCH 16. 1941. AT WORCESTER.

MASS. 5'8", SLIM BUILD, BROWN EYES, BLEACHED BLOND HAIR, DESCRIBED AS A FANCY DRESSER, EXCEPTIONALLY PLEASANT AND ATTRRACTIVE.

BOSTON UNABLE TO LOCATE A DESCRIPTION OF JOHN HOFFMAN, SUBJECT'S BROTHER, HOWEVER, HE IS BELIEVED TO BE A YEAR OR TWO OLDER THAN THE SUBJECT.

NEW YORK IS REQUESTED TO FURNISH BUREAU WITH UP-TO-DATE DESCRIPTION AND PHOTOGRAPH OF SUBJECT SO THAT INFORMATION MAY BE FURNISHED TO LEGAT. MEXICO CITY IN THE EVENT UFAP PROCESS IS ISSUED. FOR ARREST OF HOFFMAN.

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ABBOTT HOWARD HOFFMAN, AKA; SM - YIP (EXTREMIST) EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN

REBSTEL APRIL 18, 1974.

FOR INFORMATION OF LEGAT, HOFFMAN WAS COFOUNDER OF YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY (YIP) (A LOOSELY-KNIT ANTIESTABLISHMENT, REVOLUTIONARY YOUTH ORGANIZATION FORMED IN NEW YORK CITY (NYC) In January, 1968) and has extensive history of new left VIOLENCE AND RELATED ARRESTS. HOFFMAN, ARRESTED AUGUST 28, 1973, IN NYC BY NYC POLICE DEPARTMENT, ATTEMPTING TO SELL THREE POUNDS OF COCAINE TO UNDERCOVER POLICE OFFICERS, WAS INDICTED SEPTEMBER 5, 1973, AND WAS RELEASED ON BOND AWAITING TRIAL. NEW YORK STATE SUPREME COURT ORDERED FORFEITURE OF HOFFMAN'S \$10,000 BAIL AND ISSUED BENCH WARRANT FOR HIS ARREST AS RESULT OF HIS PAILURE TO APPEAR IN COURT, AS SCHEDULED, APRIL 16, INOUIRIES IN NYC INDICATE HOFFMAN REPORTEDLY VISITED HIS

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SISTER IN MEXICO CITY FEBRUARY, 1974, FAILED TO ATTEND HIS
FATHER'S FUNERAL ON MARCH 29, 1974, AND NOT KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN
AT HIS LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK, RESIDENCE IN THE RECENT PAST.
HOFFMAN'S DEFENSE ATTORNEY REPORTEDLY UNAWARE OF HIS LOCATION.

REFERENCED TELETYPE NOTED APRIL 18, 1974, ANONY: 10US TELEPHONE CALLER ADVISED WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS, RESIDENT AGENCY THAT HOFFMAN'S BROTHER, JOHN HOFFMAN, HAD TRAVELED TO MEXICO CITY DURING WEEK OF APRIL 7, 1974, TO VISIT SISTER, PHYLLIS, WHO REPORTEDLY RESIDES IN MEXICO CITY. CALLER ADDED THAT SUBJECT WAS CURRENTLY WITH JOHN AND PHYLLIS IN MEXICO CITY. REFERENCED TELETYPE NOTED PHYLLIS ELAINE HOFFMAN, AKA ELENA HOFFMAN, REPORTEDLY RESIDING IN MEXICO CITY, AS OF MARCH, 1971, WITH WELL-TO-DO UNKNOWN SHE IS DESCRIBED AS WHITE, BORN MARCH 16, 1941, MALE. WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS, FIVE FEET EIGHT INCHES, SLENDER BUILT, BROWN EYES, BLEACHED BLONDE HAIR, A FANCY DRESSER, EXCEPTIONALLY PLEASANT AND ATTRACTIVE. BOSTON UNABLE TO LOCATE DESCRIPTION OF JOHN HOFF! AN, HOWEVER, HE IS BELIEVED TO BE A YEAR OR TWO OLDER THAN SUBJECT.

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REFERENCED TELETYPE REQUESTED NEW YORK TO FURNISH FBIHQ AN UP-TO-DATE DESCRIPTION AND PHOTOGRAPH OF SUBJECT FOR TRANSMITTAL TO LEGAT, MEXICO CITY. LEGAT IS ADVISED HOFFMAN WAS

DELETED FROM KEY ACTIVIST ALBUM PER FBIHQ INSTRUCTIONS JULY 20, 1973, AND, THEREFORE, DESCRIPTION AND PHOTOGRAPH OF HOFFMAN MAY STILL BE AVAILABLE IN YOUR FILES.

LEGAT, THROUGH SOURCES, ATTEMPT TO DETERMINE WHETHER SUBJECT IN MEXICO CITY. SUTEL RESULTS OF SAME AND TAKE NO ADDITIONAL ACTION PENDING RECEIPT OF SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS FROM FBIHQ.

Above to resolve Hoffman's possible presence in Mexico City. Fugitive Section, Special Investigative Division, cognizant of foregoing.

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September 19, 1974

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I received your letter and enclosures on September 16th. The concern which prompted you to write is certainly understandable, and I appreciate your making this material available to the FBI. I want to assure you we are aware of the publication you mentioned, and it has been brought to the attention of the Department of Justice which has the responsibility of determining whether prosecution is warranted.

I have forwarded a copy of your communication and of this reply to the Chief Postal Inspector, U. S. Postal Service, Washington, D. C., for his attention.

Sincerely yours,

C. M. Kelley

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F. B. I. WASHINGTON, D.C. REC-50/ - - - /22 4

November 27, 1974

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Dear Mr. Dear Mr.

Your letter, with enclosure, was received on November 22nd. The concern which prompted you to write is certainly understandable and I appreciate your making this material available to the FBI. I want to assure you we are aware of the publication you mentioned, and it has been brought to the attention of the Department of Justice which has the responsibility of determining whether prosecution is warranted.

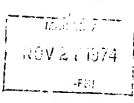
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TO , : DILECTOR, FBI (100-449923)

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JECT: ABBOTT HOWALD HOFFIAN SUBVERSIVE MATTER OD:NY

This matter is being kept current under NYfile \$8-15696 (Bufile 88-65796) entitled "ABBOTT LOWERD HOFFMAN, aka-FUGITIVE, UFAP-C! IMINAL SALE OF A DANGILOUS DRUG, OO:NY". For this reason the 100 case in this matter was placed in a pending inactive status on 8/23/74.

Should any information come to light which should be reported under the 100 case file, the Bureau will be immediately notified by appropriate communication.

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Gentlemen:

Chief, Congressional Liaison Federal Bureau of Investigation

Washington, D.C. 20535

me and told me that she had ordered a book through an advertisement which, has produced the volume in her home, and she wants me to bring this book to your attention. This book is entitled "Steal Yourself Rich", and the author is Abbey Hoffman and it is published at 364 Main Street, East Orange New Jersey 07019. She says the book is highly subversive. It tells how to conduct riots and fighting and lists a lot of subersive activities undertaken and about to be undertaken in the United States. I think that I should bring this book to your attention and I would appreciate a notice from you that you will, in fact, give consideration in having this book read by proper authorities.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,

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Monorable Charles E. Bennett House of Representatives Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Congressman Bennett:

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This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 2nd regarding the book entitled "Steal Yourself Rich" which was brought to your attention by your constituent,

I can certainly understand the concern which prompted her inquiry and appreciate your thoughtfulness in referring it to me.

For your information, the FBI is aware of this publication and has called it to the attention of the Department of Justice which has the responsibility of determining whether prosecution is warranted. We have also alerted the Chief Postal Inspector, U. S. Postal Service, to this book.

Sincerely yours,

C. M. Kelley

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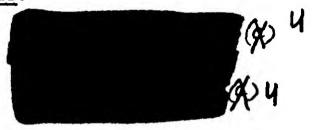
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Re: YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY (YIP)
INTERNAL SECURITY - YIP

CONTEMPLATED DEMONSTRATIONS RELATIVE TO THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION, MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, 1972

The Youth International Party (YIP), also known as Yippies, is a loosely knit, anti-establishment revolutionary youth organization formed in New York City in January, 1968. Following a factional dispute in May, 1972, the YIP divided into two factions, the Yippies, headed by a YIP collective, and the Zippies, headed by THOMAS KING FORCADE, a member of the underground press syndicate.

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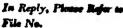


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Reference Memorandum dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.



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	for Miami concerning 7/29/72.	Enclosed for the Bureau are ten (10) copies, and seven (7) copies, of New York LHM dated 8/2/72 the YIP "phone Freak" convention in New York City,
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Security and Intelligence Section, Intelligence Division, New York City Police Department, advised on 7/28/72.

New York has several sources who are familiar and have access to the publication: Youth International Party Line (YIPL).



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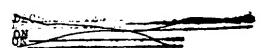
YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY (YIP), ALSO KNOWN AS YIPPIES INTERNAL SECURITY-REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES

The YIP, also known as Yippies, is a loosely-knit, anti-establishment, revolutionary youth organization formed in New York City in January, 1968.

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that the YIP held a "Phone Freak" Convention on July 29, 1972, in the Palmer Room of the Hotel Diplomat, 110 West 43rd Street, New York City (NYC), from approximately 11:00 a.m to 6:00 p.m.

At its peak, about forty young persons were in attendance, approximately one-third of whom were high school teenagers, who gathered to hear several individuals explain various means of exploiting the telephone company. Attention centered on how to make long distance telephone calls without being charged by the telephone company, and various devices were demonstrated and techniques explained.



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a group of five individuals, who only identified themselves by having the last name of BELL, made it clear they were not recommending the use of the devices and techniques. They pointed out various law enforcement agencies were present and that they had to be careful in what they said in order to avoid arrest.

Abbie Hoffman was in attendance for a short period and spoke briefly against various policies used by the Bell Telephone Company. Hoffman stated Bell Telephone is another means by which the poor people in this country are being exploited by having to pay for long-distance calls.

Abbott Howard Hoffman, also known as Abbie Hoffman, on June 18, 1970, was found guilty of anti-riot law violations that arose from activities during the Democratic National Convention in Chicago, Illinois, in August, 1968. Pending an appeal, he was released on bond by the United States Court of Appeals, Chicago, Illinois.

any time concerning possible YIP protest activities at the upcoming Republican Party Convention in Miami. Attention was centered only on how to make free long-distance phone calls, and persons in attendance were encouraged to subscribe to the Youth International Party Line (YIPL), 152 West 42nd Street, New York City, Room 504, for further information on how to make free long-distance telephone calls.

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